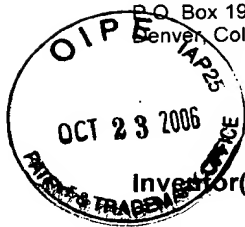


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Examiner: Perungavoor, Sath V.

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Group Art Unit: 2624

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- ☒ Response/Amendment ☐ Petition to extend time to respond  
☐ New fee as calculated below ☐ Supplemental Declaration  
☒ No additional fee (Address envelope to "Mail Stop Amendments")  
☐ Other: (Fee \$\_\_\_\_\_)

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY                            |  |  |   |   |             |                           |
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| (1)<br>FOR  | (2)<br>CLAIMS REMAINING<br>AFTER AMENDMENT               | (3)<br>NUMBER<br>EXTRA                                   | (4)<br>HIGHEST NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR              | (5)<br>PRESENT<br>EXTRA                                   | (6)<br>RATE | (7)<br>ADDITIONAL<br>FEES |
| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS   | 20   | MINUS  | 20  | = 0   | X 50        | \$ 0                      |
| INDEP.<br>CLAIMS  | 2  | MINUS  | 3   | = 0   | X 200       | \$ 0                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |  |  |   |   | + 360       | \$ 0                      |
| EXTENSION<br>FEE  | 1 <sup>ST</sup> MONTH<br>120.00 <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 <sup>ND</sup> MONTH<br>450.00 <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 <sup>RD</sup> MONTH<br>1020.00 <input type="checkbox"/> | 4 <sup>TH</sup> MONTH<br>1590.00 <input type="checkbox"/> |             | \$ 0                      |
| OTHER FEES  |  |  |   |   |             | \$ 0                      |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT                                   |  |  |   |   |             | \$ 0                      |

Charge \$0 to Deposit Account 50-3718. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 50-3718 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 50-3718 under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.19, 1.20 and 1.21. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The outstanding final Office Action mailed September 12, 2006 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT**

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 50-3718.